Regional Services

Technical Services
Facilitation Services
Regional Coordination

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How does DWR support IRWM?

- Financial Assistance
 - IRWM grants have helped in IRWM plan development
 - More than 550 IRWM projects across the state
- Regional Partnerships
 - Provides Technical Support Services
 - Access to Facilitation Services
 - Assistance through IRWM workshops and conferences
 - Management of DWR's Regional Coordination Program



Regional Partnership Program



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- Technical support services are available to help guide water management decisions.
- Facilitation support services help to develop, foster and build collaboration among diverse interests and jurisdictions.
- Conferences and seminars are available to support exchange of ideas, promote public learning, share lessons learned, and promote best practices.



Technical Support Services

- Technical Support Services helps water management groups address pivotal IRWM issues
- The program provides technical assistance including IRWM planning and implementation
 - Broader than just IRWM



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Technical Services Offered

- Water Management, Engineering, and Environmental Activities
- Modeling and Data Management
- Geotechnical, Geophysical, Hydrologic, and Hydrogeologic Investigations

Water management groups engaged in activities that are consistent with integrated water management should work with your Regional Service Representative (RSR) to prepare a request for support.

Facilitation Support Services

- The Facilitation Support Services program connects regional water management groups with professional facilitators to:
 - Address pivotal IRWM issues
 - Foster discussions among diverse interests and jurisdictions



Facilitation Services Offered

 Stakeholder identification and outreach

- Stakeholder assessment
- Stakeholder liaison and mediation
- Meeting facilitation



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Facilitation Services Eligibility

- Water management groups must meet the following four minimum eligibility requirements to qualify for the program:
 - Identify a clear and defined need for professional facilitation support services
 - Demonstrate commitment to work collaboratively with others to develop, improve or implement an IRWM plan, GWMP, or other appropriate project or goal
 - Demonstrate commitment to meet regularly and work diligently toward clear, defined goals
 - Commit to providing logistical and administrative support
- Submit a completed application with assistance of your RSR



Regional Service Representative



Regional Coordination





Regional Coordination Vision

 The Regional Coordinators provide consistent messages to DWR water management partners and stakeholders in an efficient and timely manner to foster collaboration.



Regional Coordination

- The Regional Coordination Program
 - Provides a customer interface independent of DWR's traditional programs and organizational boundaries
 - Allows interested parties to solicit information and guidance, and participate in DWR programs in an efficient manner
 - Serves as the primary points of contact and ensure consistent messaging and service



Regional Coordination Benefits

- Improved outreach
- Consistent messaging
- Designated regional point of contact
- Streamlined communication
- Enhanced understanding of programs and their interrelationships

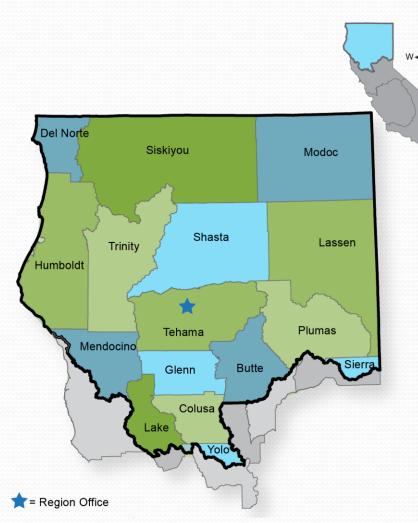


How can the Regional Coordination Program work for me?

 You can contact your Regional Coordinator for updates and high-level technical summaries on relevant programs and projects within your region. Regional Coordinators are your first point of contact for information from DWR.



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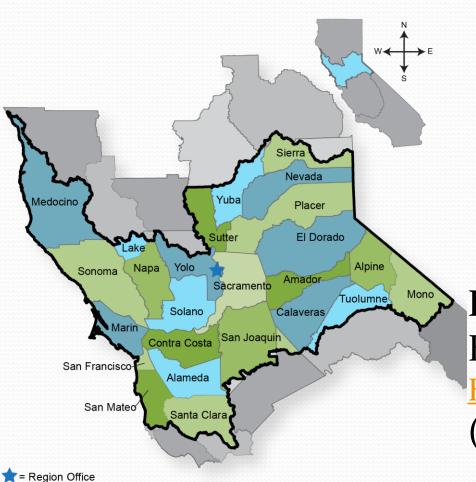


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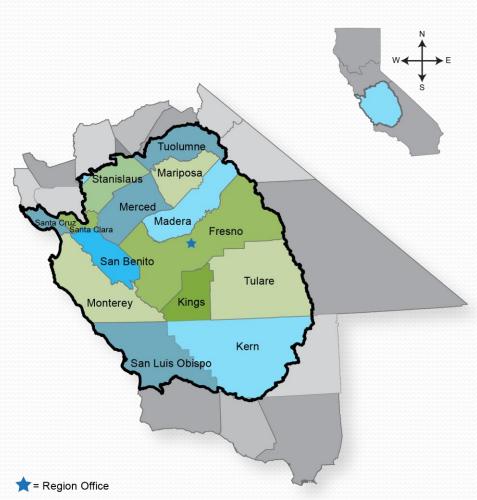


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